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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Applicants respectfully request a three-month extension of time in which to respond to the Office Action mailed February 12, 1997, for which a response period expiring on May 12, 1997 was set. The extended period expires on August 12, 1997.

A check is included for the amount of \$586.00 for the 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) extension and any excess claim fees. Please charge any additional fees required in connection with this communication to the deposit account of Howrey & Simon, deposit account number 08-3038. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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